REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of this application as presently amended and in light of the following discussion is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-33 are presently active in this case, Claim 17 having been amended by way of the present Amendment.

Claims 1-16, 24-28, and 30-32 are allowed.

In the outstanding Official Action, Claims 17-23, 29, and 33 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter that the applicant regards as the invention. The phrase that was indicated as being indefinite has been amended to recite "wherein said editing of said print job information occurs while said print job information is at said printer." The Applicant submits that the amended language is clear and definite, and corresponds to the disclosed invention. Accordingly, the Applicant respectfully requests the withdrawal of the indefiniteness rejection.

Claims 17-23, 29, and 33 were indicated as being allowable if rewritten to overcome the above indefiniteness rejection. As discussed above, the Applicant submits that the indefiniteness rejection has been overcome, and thus Claims 17-23, 29, and 33 are believed to be in condition for allowance.

Consequently, in view of the above discussion, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for formal allowance and an early and favorable reconsideration of this application is therefore requested. If the Examiner believes that any Application Serial No.: 09/575,984

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additional issues need to be addressed in order to place the application into condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's representative listed below.

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